ings, \$88,857; fixed charges, \$41,814; sur-

Both Make Notable Gains in View of Future Prospects.

BIG PROFITS LOOKED FOR.

The Trust Has Made Capital of the Proposed New Tariff Rate on Sugar.

RAILROAD LIST VERY DULL.

The Big Slump in Wheat Mainly Responsible for the Weakness Manifested in the Granger Stocks.

The stock market was without feature except the notable advances in Sugar and Consolidated Gas, the former recording a net gain of 11/2 per cent, and the latter of 2% per cent. Arabian Nights tales about the fabulous profits which would accrue to the Sugar Trust from the Importation of raw sugar ahead of the enactment of the Tariff bill accounted for the rise in Sugar, and prophecies of a certain passage of the compromise gas bill in the Legislature

stimulated buying of Consolidated Gas. If the Sugar Trust imported the world's prop of raw sugar it would hardly make the profits vouchsafed to it to-day. More mportant but unheeded was the protest of the German Minister against the discrimination against Germany as a sugar bounty paying country. Absence of war developments and better markets abroad induced some covering of short contracts

nduced some covering of short contracts in the morning.

The break of nearly 4 cents in wheat and proportionate losses in other cereals and provisions imparted a heavy fone to be railroad list in the afternoon, but hanges on either side were trifling. Outde of the Granger stocks, which are peuliarly susceptible to the values of grain rops, and a few stocks influenced by spelal reserves not worthy of specific note, he changes were generally for the better, he fallure of a prominent from rolling ill company depressed stocks like Tenessee Coal and from, Colorado Fuel and on and Northwest, which have their elfare bound up in the condition of the on trade more or less.

Rumors of a fresh issue of receivers rifficates depressed Baltimore and Ohio, at the waning earnings of the road might raish sufficient reason for a decline in e face of a prospective heavy cash assessent upon the stock. The strength of arthern Pagella available.

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General Electric. 32	32	3114	3116	2 St. P. 1st D. & G. 8
Illinois Central 93	93	93	93	6 St. P. 1st C. & P., W. d
Illinois Steel 31%	3136	815%	3114	5 St. P. 18t C. & L., W. G
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bonds were as follows: \$700 United States 4s c. of 1907 at 111½, \$19,000 United States, 4s c. of 1925 at 124¼(1124%, and \$2,000 Virginia Fund debt 2.3s of 1901 at 63%.

Commercial price of bar silver in New

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company reports gross earnings for February of \$383. NEUSTADT & CO. GO UNDER. 181. an increase of \$19.284 as compared with the same months of last year, and net to 55.659, a decrease of \$20.181. For the ten nonths ending February 28, the gross earnags were \$3,350.172, a decrease of \$189,788 s compared with the corresponding period f last year, and net \$637.092,a decrease of 70.652, and balance \$312.092, a decrease of 70.652, and balance \$312.092, a decrease of 70.652, and balance \$312.092, a decrease of 70.652. \$70,662, and balance \$512,002, a decrease ment yesterday afternoon, without prefer-

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw estate firm of Tim & Co., of Broad-The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw estate firm of Time Railroad reports gross earnings for Feb. way and Thirty-fourth street. The mem-Railroad reports gross earnings for February of \$50,224, a decrease of \$8,687 as compared with the same month of last year, and net \$1,515, a decrease of \$6,553. For the two months ending February 28 the gross earnings were \$104,300, a decrease of \$6,901, as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$5,148, a decrease og \$5,967.

The Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad reports for the quarter ended December 31, 1896: Gross earnings, \$156,659; per earn.

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